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STROTHER CONFESSES TO COOPER MURDER.

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Strother if he wished to make a statement. Strother replied that on the advice of his attorney he did not wish to make any statement. He was asked if he had heard the confession just read, and whether the statements contained therein were true.

At this point Attorney Clark jumped to his feet and said that Strother was his client, and that under his advice he had declined to make a statement. He, as his counsel, protested that the coroner had no right to interrogate the accused.

Mr. Boogher, with some warmth, replied that he was conducting the investigation, and that he would propound any questions he desired, notwithstanding Clark's protest. Clark retorted that as Strother's attorney would advise him not to answer, whereupon Boogher grew indignant and ordered Bailiff Pearson to eject Clark. Pearson seized Clark and was about to forcibly remove him, when Coroner Funkhouser ordered him to desist and allow him to remain. Clark remained, but said nothing while Boogher proceeded to interrogate Strother.

STROTHER ADMITS MAKING STATEMENT. "Is this statement you have just heard read the statement you made to Chief Deamond?" he was asked.

"Well, I don't know how to act," said Strother, hesitatingly. "My lawyer told me not to make any statement."

"Well, answer my questions," ordered Boogher. "Did you make this statement?" "Yes, sir," said Strother. "Did you sign it? Is this your signature?" "Yes, sir."

"Did you sign it voluntarily?" "Yes, sir."

Strother was then excused and the jury retired. In fifteen minutes they returned with a verdict to the effect that A. Deane Cooper came to his death from the effects of a blow inflicted by William Strother, and that the jury held Strother for unjustifiable homicide.

Strother was taken back to the holdover. The case will be laid before the Grand Jury to-morrow and an indictment is expected the following day. A speedy trial is anticipated.

SIMPLE FUNERAL SERVICE AT THE COOPER HOME. The funeral of A. Deane Cooper took place at the family residence, No. 3713 Washington avenue, yesterday afternoon. The body was interred in the Rosewood Mausoleum. The services were conducted by the Rev. B. B. Graham, president of the Graham Paper Company; George H. Plant, president of the Plant Milling Company; and the Rev. B. B. Graham, president of the Graham Paper Company.

The funeral was private and none but relatives and intimate friends of the family attended. Many handsome floral offerings were sent. The services at the house were simple, as requested by the family.

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Choice Styles Special Quality Velvet Carpet (Reg. Price 70c to \$1.00) This Sale, 73½c

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PROSECUTION IS PRESENTING THE CASE BACKWARD.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL. St. Louis, Jan. 25.—Criminal lawyers are watching with much interest the original plan by which Assistant District Attorney Osborne is prosecuting the Patrick murder trial. It is the new line he has started on, Mr. Osborne will win a reputation, they say, through his daring to brush aside long-established precedent.

Mr. Osborne's departure from the usual line has led to confusion among the jurymen. One of them remarked to a fellow juror at the adjournment of the trial yesterday:

"I thought this was to be a murder case, but it looks now more like a trial on a forgery charge. Why, we don't know yet that any one is dead."

The reason for Mr. Osborne's beginning his case at the end and working backward, lawyers say, is in addition to his desire to be original and striking, that he is aware from long experience of Recorder Goff's predilection for admitting all testimony and passing on it afterwards.

Will Dispute Forgery Testimony. The trial is progressing chronologically. Mr. Osborne has started in at the point where notice was first brought that something was wrong.

This was the suspicion roused in the Swenson Bank over the \$25,000 check. Later it was learned that Rice was dead. It is supposed that the District Attorney will take up Mr. Rice's death in regular order, following with his minor witnesses and gradually tapping down to nothing, instead of keeping his most important witness for a climax of testimony. Violet Jones, under this plan, will probably be put on the stand very soon.

Mr. G. Grossman of Patrick's counsel said to-day that they would oppose the post-mortem declaration of Eric P. Swenson and his clerks that this check was a forgery with the equally positive testimony of a well-known handwriting expert that his signature was genuine.

"Neither Mr. Swenson nor his clerks claim to be experts in handwriting," said Mr. Grossman, "and one of them, you remember, admitted that the signature might be genuine. If, against this testimony, we can produce expert testimony of the highest character, the result ought to be conclusive."

Only the Preliminary Skirmish. Mr. Grossman was informed that the District Attorney has not finished his testimony regarding the character of the check, and that District Attorney Garvan said they would re-enforce the testimony of the bankers with expert testimony in the same line.

"Well," said he, "this controversy about the check is only the preliminary skirmish. The trial will cover three weeks, and during that time there will be a number of surprises for the prosecution. I cannot tell you what they are now, but I assure you that they will prove the innocence of Patrick, not only of the charge of murder, but also of forgery."

"We have what we consider indisputable evidence of the genuineness of all the papers formerly in Patrick's possession bearing Mr. Rice's signature."

Patrick to Take the Stand. "Will Patrick himself testify?" "It is our intention to put Mr. Patrick on the witness stand. It is his desire to face the jury and tell just what his relations with Mr. Rice were. We are in hopes, however, that he will be discharged without the necessity of presenting evidence for the defense. Thus far the prosecution has failed to establish a single point against him. He is charged with murder, but the evidence has been almost solely to prove him guilty of forgery. He is not on trial for forgery."

One of the most important witnesses, upon whom the counsel for Lawyer T. Patrick is depending to clear him of the charge of murdering old man Rice, is Emma Warfield Long of No. 226 West Twenty-second street, a bright Southern woman, whose family, once wealthy, was reduced in circumstances by the Civil War.

She will testify that in 1888 she met the millionaire, William Rice, in the School of Design, at Fifty-ninth street and Madison avenue, and that they fell into a conversation about the best way to help poor but deserving persons to make their way in the world.

Purpose to Leave Fortune to Lawyer. Mrs. Long told a reporter to-day that Mr. Rice said to her at that time:

"I have about decided not to leave my money to a charitable institution intended to help others, but that never does help, but, instead, to leave my fortune to some bright, honest lawyer who really will help others to help themselves, and do it in the way I want it done."

In 1892, before the time this conversation took place, Mr. Rice had made a will leaving his fortune to the Rice Institute of Houston, Tex., with Captain Charles H. Baker as trustee.

Mrs. Long's evidence, it is said, will tend to show that, even as early as 1888, Mr. Rice had doubts about the practicability of the charity intended in his will of 1886 and intended to make another will.

Miss Emma Patrick to-day visited her brother in the Tomb Prison.

With Miss Patrick was Mrs. Addie M. Francis, the staunch friend and former landlady of the prisoner, whose testimony is relied upon to prove an alibi for him.

KAISER KEENLY INTERESTED IN PRINCE HENRY'S VISIT.

Military Ceremony Will Mark Official Departure of His Brother for America—Written Memorandum Will Tell Royal Traveler What to Say to President Roosevelt—Comment of German Press.

PRINCE WILL NOT SUBMIT TO INTERVIEWS IN UNITED STATES.

HOHENZOLLERN PUNCH. LATEST NEW YORK DRINK. REPUBLIC SPECIAL. New York, Jan. 25.—In honor of Prince Henry's visit, "The Only Will-Iam," a famous drink mixer, has invented a wondrous compound, which he has named the "Hohenzollern Punch," which he declares will rejuvenate old age and increase happiness during the coming ages. It is made as follows:

In a large bowl mix one quart of St. Croix rum, four quarts of brandy, six bottles of Rhine wine (Liebfraumilch), six bottles of Rhine wine, half pint of Maraschino, half pint of Curacao, half pint of Chartreuse (yellow), one quart of sherry wine, one quart of Sauterne, two quarts of Moselle, one quart of port, two bottles of Chambertin.

Mix thoroughly and add some sliced fruit, to wit: pineapple, oranges and preserved cherries, and one large piece of ice. When all is ready pour into same six bottles of extra dry champagne and serve to twenty-five persons. Take the whites of two dozen eggs, well beaten, and put on top, with German and American flags at the foot of the champagne.

The rest of the day was spent in discussion of the Iowa miners' organization.

MINE WORKERS STILL BUSY. Committee Appointed on "Chinese Exclusion"—Other Work. Indianapolis, Jan. 25.—At to-day's session of the U. M. W. Convention President Mitchell announced special committees "On Chinese Exclusion," and "On Organization and Care of Miners in Districts 2, 8, 12 and 23."

Secretary Wilson, in his report, recommended that local unions be organized to take the Mine Workers' Journal, and that notices to local unions be printed in the Journal. The recommendation was adopted. The rest of the day was spent in discussion of the Iowa miners' organization.

Berlin, Jan. 25.—When Emperor William bids Prince Henry of Prussia farewell, prior to the latter's departure for the United States, their parting will be a simple, private affair. No speeches for publication will be exchanged. The leave-taking will assume the form of a military act, in which an officer receives the last instructions from his sovereign before going on an important mission. It is understood that his Majesty will give Prince Henry written memoranda of what he wishes his royal brother to communicate to President Roosevelt.

Prince Henry, who is now here, will return to Kiel February 10 and remain there till he goes to Bremen to embark for the United States. The various members of the Prince's party will assemble at Bremen February 14. The sailing of Prince Henry will not be marked by any special ceremony, nor, so far as known, will any of the royal house see the Prince off. The foregoing are the arrangements as communicated to the correspondent of the Associated Press to-day; but it is still quite possible that Emperor William will disregard the programme and bid farewell to his brother in a more public manner at Bremen. This, at least, is the hope of some members of the suite.

The dinner to be given in Prince Henry's honor, under the auspices of the New York Staats Zeitung, to the press of the United States, is the feature of the Prince's diversion which is attracting the most attention here. Prince Henry himself asked particularly about this feature of the programme, and when told that some of the editors would probably travel three thousand miles to be present, he expressed wonder.

Doctor Barth says, in the Nation, to-day: That Prince Henry, as the representative of the German Emperor, comes in immediate contact with the press is a particularly happy thought. The modern spirit inspiring the whole expedition is brought sharply into view through the Emperor's brother becoming the guest of journalists.

Prince Henry's attitude toward the press when in the United States has been the subject of consideration by his counselors. He desires to show respect for the profession and will give an audience to the newspaper men, with the understanding that he will not be quoted. What the Prince has to say will be issued through the official channels.

Every detail of the trip interests Emperor William, who has